

# THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

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## LUSITANIA CASE IS CLEARING UP

President Will Lay Matter Before His Cabinet.

### AMERICAN ATTITUDE SAME

German View, as Represented at Washington, Is That the Present Offer Goes as Far as Berlin Officials Consider Possible Towards Meeting Views of the United States.

Washington, Feb. 8.—President Wilson will take up with his cabinet the latest communication which Germany hopes will bring the negotiations over the Lusitania disaster to a termination satisfactory to the United States. Official indication or announcement whether the offer of the Berlin government is satisfactory is expected soon thereafter.

The president did not request Secretary Lansing to come to the White House for a conference and the conference which had been planned did not materialize.

The secretary expects to discuss the latest proposal with the president and it is believed in Teutonic diplomatic circles that Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, may be summoned to the state department and informed of the decision of the United States.

Officials Are Optimistic. Confidential advice received from high official quarters say expressions of optimism regarding the outcome of the negotiations, which have been heard in certain official and diplomatic circles are not without foundation.

Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee declared, after conferring with administration officials, that he believed the case is "practically settled."

It was authoritatively said at the state department that the position of the government in regard to the Lusitania case is identical with the position taken at the time the last note was dispatched to Germany.

The German view as represented here is that the agreement now offered goes as far as German officials consider possible toward meeting the views of the United States.

Germany has agreed that reprisals must not be directed against any other than enemy subjects.

### TO PROBE PARLIAMENT FIRE

Canadian Premier and Leader of Opposition Each Selects a Man.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 8.—R. H. Pringle, K. C., and Judge MacTavish of Ottawa have been selected as the commissioners to investigate the fire which destroyed the Canadian parliament buildings.

They were chosen respectively by the premier and the parliamentary leader of the opposition and will make their own arrangements for opening the hearing.

### BUELOW BACK IN LUCERNE

Prince Returns From Germany After Interview With Kaiser.

Geneva, Switzerland, Feb. 8.—Prince von Buelow, the former German imperial chancellor, arrived at Lucerne from Berlin, where he recently had interviews with Emperor William and Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg.

German agents awaited the prince at Lucerne. The Swiss press is speculating on the object of his presence in Switzerland.

### ENGLISH EXPORTS LEADING

Imports of Foodstuffs Grow \$18,750,000, Says Report.

London, Feb. 8.—The British board of trade figures for January show that imports increased by 7,702,000 pounds. Exports increased 8,509,000 pounds.

The principal increases in imports were for foodstuffs, 3,750,000 pounds; raw material, 1,000,000 pounds, and chemical dyes, 1,000,000 pounds.

### WOMAN SHOTS MINISTER

North Texas Baptist Divine Probably Fatally Wounded.

Sherman, Tex., Feb. 8.—Rev. H. M. Cagle, a prominent North Texas Baptist minister, was shot and probably fatally wounded on the public square here by Mrs. Annie Faust, wife of Pluis Faust, a prominent farmer, who lives near Dealson, Tex.

Mrs. Faust was arrested immediately after the shooting, was later released on \$1,000 bond and returned home with her husband, who had been summoned after the shooting.

When arrested Mrs. Faust said, according to deputy sheriffs, that the minister had slandered her and she shot in revenge.

### PRINCE OSCAR.

Fifth Son of Emperor William Is Wounded.



### KAISER'S SON IS WOUNDED

Prince Oscar of Prussia Injured by Shell Splinters.

Amsterdam, Feb. 8.—Prince Oscar of Prussia, fifth son of Emperor William, has been slightly wounded in the head and on the upper part of the thigh by shell splinters during the fighting in the eastern theater of war, according to a Berlin report received here.

### ALLIED CRUISERS PATROLING COAST

Newport News, Va., Feb. 8.—British shipmasters arriving here reported that two allied cruisers—one British and the other French—are patrolling the coast off the Virginia capes.

Since there is no probability that the German prize Appam will put to sea in the near future marine men take the presence of the warships to mean that the allied governments expect other prizes, captured by the mysterious German raider, to be brought to Hampton Roads.

### SETTLERS FEAR OUTBREAK

Navajo Indians Threaten to Go on the Warpath.

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 8.—Five thousand residents of the northeastern portion of Arizona are alarmed over the reports that scores of Navajo Indians are threatening to go on the "war path," according to reports received here.

Approximately 25,000 Indians are living on the Navajo reservation, but it is not known what proportion of them were involved in threatened uprisings.

The Indians became angered, it is said, when one of their number was shot and killed several days ago by police officers.

### GARMENT WORKERS RAISED

Arbitrators Grant 10 Per Cent Advance in New York Dispute.

New York, Feb. 8.—Differences between the Ladies' Waist and Dress-makers' union and the Waist and Dress Manufacturers' association, which some time ago threatened a strike of about 15,000 employees, were virtually settled by a board of arbitration, which made an award revising a previous protocol and allowing employees a 10 per cent increase in wages.

### WIFE SLAYER UP FOR LIFE

Arkansan Found Guilty of Poisoning Spouse.

Arkadelphia, Ark., Feb. 8.—Edward Dickson was found guilty by a jury of poisoning his wife and sentenced to a life term in the penitentiary.

The state accused Dickson of his wife's death on the ground that he wished to marry Mrs. Maud Buck, said to have been a boyhood sweetheart. Mrs. Buck is to be tried as an accessory.

### JUDGE'S DAUGHTER SUICIDE

Mrs. Florence Adams Dobson of Chicago Found Dead.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Mrs. Florence Adams Dobson, daughter of the late Judge Francis Adams of the appellate court, was found dead in bed. Two gas jets in the room were open. A letter signed with Mrs. Dobson's name, according to the police, expressed despondency because of illness and ended: "I long unspeakably for peace."

## GERMAN NAVY EXPECTED TO MAKE DASH MEET BRITISH IN NORTH SEA

German Marines Along Belgian Coast Withdrawn to Kiel—Persian Forces Defeat Russians—German Financiers Will Stand by Government in Any Event—Russian Torpedo Boats Sunk 40 Turkish Sailing Vessels in Black Sea—Prince Oscar's Wounds are Only Slight.

Investment Clerk Pickett Confesses to Having Forged Name—United States and Armor Plate Manufacturers Will Lock Horns—Lusitania Situation Looks Hopeful—Statute of Minnesota's First Governor is Unveiled in Washington—Col. House Creates Good Impression in Europe.

Vice President Marshall will not Receive Favorable Mention—Clarendon, Nebraska, Faces Typhoid Fever Epidemic—David Lloyd George will Succeed Kitchener if he is Sent to Egypt—Memorandum in Lusitania Case Indicates Concessions by Germany.

### WANT NAVAL BATTLE IN THE NORTH SEA

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 8.—Dispatches from The Hague say the German marines along the Belgian coast are being withdrawn to Kiel and there will join the German navy for an expected dash into the North Sea to meet the British naval forces. It is confidentially hoped here that this is true as the people want the German-British naval battle to occur on the North Sea.

### DAVID LLOYD GEORGE KITCHENER'S SUCCESSOR

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 8.—David Lloyd George is mentioned as Kitchener's successor if Kitchener is transferred to Egypt. Sir William Robertson has taken over Kitchener's most important task, that of directing all military preparations.

### SANK FORTY VESSELS

Paris, Feb. 8.—The dispatches say the Russian torpedo boats sank 40 Turkish sailing vessels in the Black Sea, and bombarded three naval construction yards along the Anatolian coast.

### WOUNDS ONLY SLIGHT

(By United Press)

Berlin, Feb. 8.—A semi-official statement says the wounds Prince Oscar of Prussia received are only slight. Shrapnel struck him on the head and thigh.

### TOOK 600 PRISONERS

(By United Press)

Berlin, Feb. 8.—The Persian forces defeated the Russians in a two days' battle near Muendail taking 600 prisoners.

### Preparing for Biggest Fight

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 2.—The United States and the armor plate manufacturers are hooked up for the biggest fight in their history. Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, warned the senate naval affairs committee before it recommended for passage the bill for the government manufacture of armor that the private plants would immediately cease business until the government plant was completed, and would boost the price of armor plate \$200 a ton.

## Marshall Dropped From National Ticket

(By United Press)

St. Louis, Feb. 8.—The non-committal attitude of democrats attending the meetings of the sub-committee making arrangements for the national convention indicates that Marshall will be rolled from the national ticket, although his successor has not been mentioned. Thomas Taggart alone stuck for Vice President Marshall. "Bryan is a political nuisance," said Clark J. A. Howell, editor of the Atlanta constitution, is a member of the committee.

## German Bankers Back Government

(By United Press)

Berlin, Feb. 8.—The leading German bankers and financiers affected by the threatened break with America are firmly behind their government in its refusal of disavowal in the Lusitania case and frankly hope that a settlement will be reached but are ready to uphold their government if the government decides a break is necessary. It is learned this was the result of the bankers' conference held here yesterday.

## Lusitania Situation Now Looks Hopeful

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—The Lusitania situation looks hopeful, a high official said following the Wilson-Lansing conference. Matters have not reached a stage that will warrant an official announcement, however. The statement, based upon memorandum Ambassador Bernstorff gave Secretary Lansing shows that it opens the way for consideration.

## Conference Held

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—President Wilson made his long expected engagement with Secretary Lansing at 10 o'clock this morning, the conference lasting until the regular cabinet meeting at 11 o'clock.

### WILLIAM P. HEPBURN.

Former Member of Congress Dies After Prolonged Illness.



Colonel William P. Hepburn, former member of congress from Iowa, is dead at Clarinda, Ia., after a long illness.

Mr. Hepburn was eighty-two years old and had been a resident of Iowa since 1841 with brief interruption. He was a Republican member of congress for many years and was known as the author of the Hepburn railroad rate law.

## CALIFORNIA SEEKS TO APPLY ALIEN LAW

Santa Barbara, Cal., Feb. 8.—Acting under the anti-alien land law of 1913 the state of California has brought suit here to nullify the title of Gin Fook Bin, a subject of the Chinese republic, to real property in this city valued at \$18,000.

This is the first action brought by the state under that law that caused international discussion when it was before the state legislature and which threatened to lead to a misunderstanding between the United States and Japan.

The information and complaint alleges "that on or about July 30, 1915, the defendant was not eligible to citizenship under the laws of the United States, being a citizen and subject of the republic of China; that on said date there existed no treaty between the two governments whereby a citizen and subject of China might acquire or transfer real property or interest therein in the state of California or the United States of America; that on the date mentioned the defendant acquired a one-half interest in fee to the real property described."

It is asked that the court adjudge that this property has escheated to the state and that it be ordered sold and a receiver appointed to take charge of the property.

As treaty rights are involved the case is said to be certain to go to the United States supreme court.

## MAY NOT MAKE SECOND TOUR

President Believes Nation Has Shown Preparedness Approval.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Southern congressmen who called at the White House to urge President Wilson to visit their district, should he make another speaking tour for national preparedness, gained the impression the president may not make another trip. He has not decided, it was said.

The callers said the president believes the country has shown its approval of adequate national preparedness.

Charlevoix Battle Hero Dies.

Paris, Feb. 8.—General Nicholas Victor Delmotte has died from illness contracted at the front. He was one of the heroes of the retreat from Charlevoix, during which he commanded the rear guard brigade of the French Seventeenth army corps.

## THREE WOMEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 8.—Three men were killed in an accidental explosion at the powder works at Du Pont, near here.

One thousand pounds of dynamite at the Gelatine dynamite mixer house exploded.

Property valued at more than \$10,000 was destroyed.

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## INSISTS GERMAN FINANCES SOUND

Secretary of Berlin Treasury Answers Questions.

### DENIES INFLATION CHARGE

Dr. Karl Helfferich Declares That War Credit Banks, Mortgage Banks and Insurance Companies Have Not Issued Bank Notes.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—Dr. Karl Helfferich, secretary of the German imperial treasury, replied, according to the Overseas News agency, to questions propounded recently to Germany by Sir Edward Holden at the annual meeting of the London City and Midland bank, of which Sir Edward is managing director.

In addition to replying to Sir Edward's questions regarding Germany's finances Dr. Helfferich in turn interrogated Sir Edward with regard to the finances of Great Britain.

To the question whether German assets in foreign countries still exist Dr. Helfferich said billions of German assets are being withheld by England under receivership and against law and equity.

He then asked what conclusion is to be drawn as to English finance from the fact that Great Britain, through Sir Edward, floated a loan in the United States to strengthen the exchange rate on the English pound.

With regard to the decrease in German exports Dr. Helfferich explained that Great Britain's exports have shrunk by half and that imports, inclusive of those of the government, have increased to such an extent that the balance of trade against Great Britain is £500,000,000 instead of £150,000,000 as formerly.

To Sir Edward's question whether Germany's foreign security holdings have not all been sold Dr. Helfferich replied that Great Britain's search of assets on neutral ships for foreign securities "and the discoveries made on these occasions must sufficiently edify Sir Edward concerning the actual existence of large German holdings of such securities."

Dr. Helfferich, with regard to the charge of inflation of German paper circulation, said the war credit banks, mortgage banks and insurance companies never issued bank notes.

He said also that the Reichsbank statements do not mention an ounce of gold not in the bank's vault.

He said reports of riots in Germany in which hungry women were shot down by the military are inventions.

As to future taxes in Germany the secretary said the war was costing 2 shillings per head of the population in Great Britain against 1 shilling in Germany.

## BEATEEN AT LOVE HE BURNS RIVAL'S HOME

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 8.—David C. Guffey of Detroit, Mich., set fire to the home of C. W. Alexander, formerly a local high school teacher, in November, 1914, because he had sworn to "get even" with him for the loss of a boyhood sweetheart, according to a confession received from Guffey.

"When we were young men together we loved the same girl," Guffey wrote. "He won her and I swore to get even with him. I stole into his house at night and set a fuse to a gasoline can and escaped."

"The firemen found the fuse and accused Alexander of trying to burn his house for the insurance."

"I am now on my death bed and want Decatur people to know that Mr. Alexander was a good and honest man."

Alexander is now a teacher in the Ypsilanti, Mich., high school.

## ORIENTALS ARE DISTURBED

Japanese and Chinese Envoys Confer With Secretary of State.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Certain features of the immigration bill recently reported to the house are giving much concern at the Japanese embassy and the Chinese legation here.

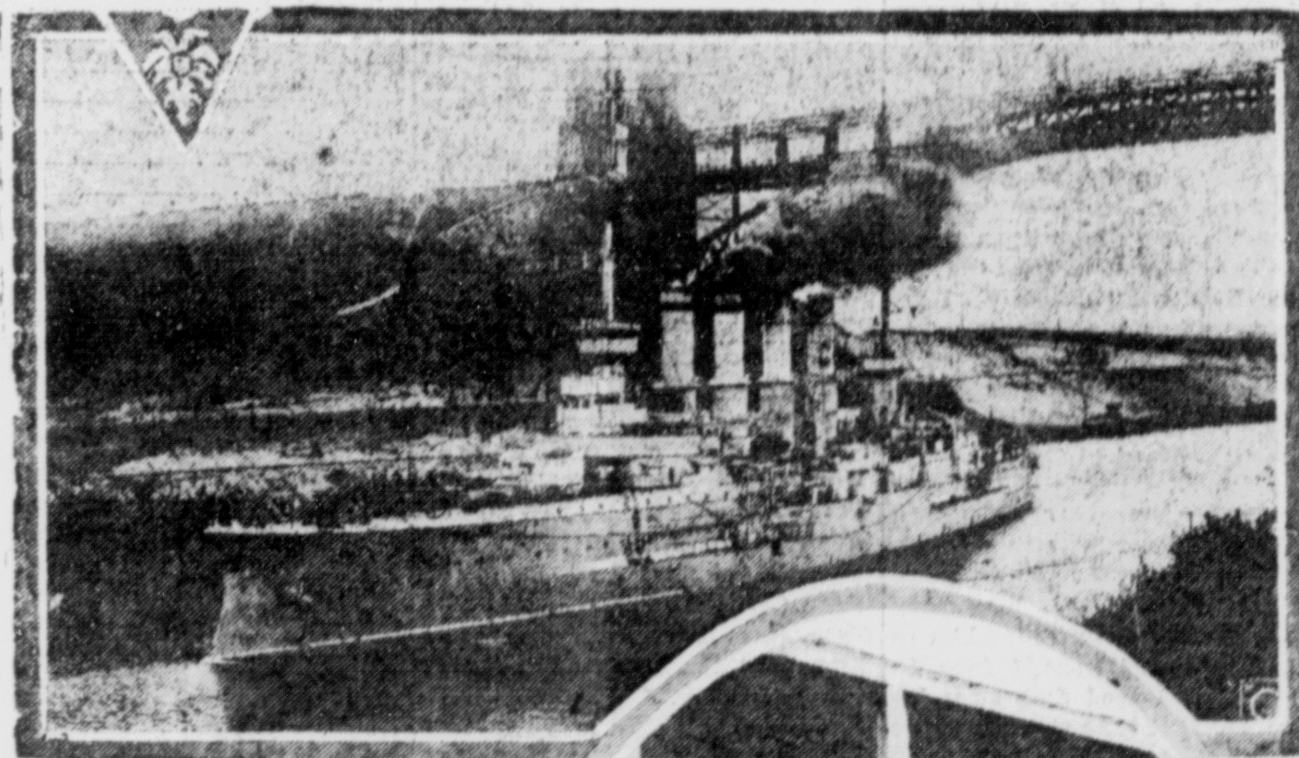
Several conferences between the ambassador and minister and the state department officials have been held.

A section of the bill which requires the registration of all Orientals in the United States is regarded by the interstate diplomats as threatening to work peculiar hardships.

Becomes Father at Ninety-six.

Whiteburg, Ky., Feb. 8.—Uncle Bob Bates, aged ninety-six, has just become the father of a boy, his twenty-fourth child. He has been married three times. Recently he made a 200-mile trip on horseback in two days.

## German Battleship May Have Taken Appam; Armed Guard on Liner



### Battle Cruiser Roon in Kiel Canal

The German battle cruiser, Roon, which at last accounts was imprisoned in the Kiel Canal, as the accompanying photograph shows, is believed by British officers aboard the liner Appam to have been chiefly instrumental in taking that vessel off the Canary Islands. How the Roon got out of the canal is not known, but there is a suspicion she has a rendezvous on the African coast.

The lower picture shows the armed German guard which is stationed at each gangway of the Appam to hold on board the British soldiers who might try to escape and to keep out raiders from reaching the vessel.



German Guard on Appam in Norfolk Bay



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**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**  
Miss Mary Bacon has been sick a  
week.  
Wm. Bamberg, of Crosby, was in  
the city.  
For Spring Water Phone 264. If  
John Kregelberg went to St. Louis  
this afternoon.  
B. L. Dower, of Wadena, was in  
the city today.  
Lester Erickson came from Deer-  
wood this noon.  
Attorney F. E. Ebner went to Ait-  
kin this afternoon.  
Miss Anna Schiel went to the Twin  
Cities this afternoon.  
Mrs. Ed. Ledoux, of Little Falls,  
visited in the city today.

**Regular Meeting  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
And Smoke Social  
Wed., Feb. 9, 1916  
8 P. M.**

Mayor Ed Krueger, of Ironton, ar-  
rived in the city this noon.

Markus Grande of Barrows, went  
to Manganese this afternoon.

Fred Reid, former sheriff of the  
county, was in the city today.

Glasses properly fitted, Dr. Long.  
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Mrs. Prosper Arnold returned this  
afternoon from a visit in Staples.

Miss Bessie Wieland is the guest  
of Mrs. Wolford B. Cook of Crosby.

F. G. Schrader, real estate man of  
Pequot, was in the city on business.

Thomas Keating, of Minneapolis,  
was in the city on his way to Deer-  
wood.

Use the Dispatch want ads to ad-  
vertise your rooms, flats and houses  
for rent.

Suits and overcoats at money-sav-  
ing prices at the H. W. Linnemann  
store.—Adv. 216f

The Folsom Music Co. reports the  
sale of a large number of Edison  
phonographs.

Representative Edward R. Syver-  
son of Ironton, returned today from a  
trip to St. Paul.

Mrs. May Young and daughter,  
Miss Ruth Young, of Staples, were  
guests of Mrs. L. A. Bacon.

Peter Umhofer, of Moneck, Mont.,  
is expected tomorrow as a guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. John Ernster.

Miss Ida Jaeger, nurse at St. Mary's  
hospital in Duluth, surprised her  
parents by visiting them this morn-  
ing.

After Monday, Feb. 7 Gardner's  
auditorium will be for rent, \$10 per  
night. Floor will be resurfaced, mak-  
ing it the finest dance floor in the  
city. Inquire of A. Falconer. 20715

Frank Renslow, whose funeral was  
held in Brainerd Monday, was born  
in Faribault and not Fargo, as  
stated in Monday's Dispatch.

Mrs. Fred Cram, sister of Judge A.  
W. Uhl, returned today to her home  
in Arizona after an extended visit  
with her brother and mother in Cros-  
by.

Miss Mabel Tollefson, who has  
been visiting in Britt, Iowa, returned  
today to her home near Klondike.  
Miss Tollefson is a cousin of Mrs.  
Wm. Garvey of Brainerd.

Mrs. F. A. Farrar of Brainerd is  
spending a few days as the guest of  
her brother and sister-in-law, Mr.  
and Mrs. F. E. Potter, 1602 Jef-  
ferson street.—Duluth Herald.

One classified ad printed in one  
issue of a newspaper will not always  
secure a tenant, or sell real estate,  
or find a position. That would make  
the problems of life too simple.

Jack Gilmer lost a valuable large  
black horse today which wedged a  
foot in the railway crossing on South  
Broadway and had to be shot to re-  
lieve it from the misery caused by a  
broken leg.

Beginning Wednesday, Feb. 9 two  
public dances will be given weekly,  
Wed. and Sat. at Gardner's auditori-  
um. Music by the Blue Ribbon or-  
chestra. 20715

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kaley left  
Brainerd on Monday for Largo,  
Florida, where they will spend the  
remainder of the winter, returning  
to their summer home on Hubert  
Lake about May 1st.

Mrs. Heda Schvola, wife of Gust  
Schvola, aged 35, died at her home  
403 Southeast Thirteenth street. She  
leaves a husband and two children.  
The funeral will be held Saturday  
afternoon from the residence.

Special lot of young men's suits,  
sized 33 to 36, a good assortment of  
patterns, worth up to \$25, at \$10,  
at H. W. Linnemann.—Adv. 216f

Judge Gustave Halvorson of the  
municipal court has given his deci-  
sion in the case of George Eschen-  
bacher vs Mary and Martin Fleisch-  
hacker. The case when tried attract-  
ed wide interest and the court room  
was filled with spectators listening  
to every detail of the trial. Judge  
Halvorson found judgment for the  
defendant and assessed his damages  
at 50 cents. Eschenbacher had sued  
on three or four causes of action,  
claiming damages under a lease, etc.,  
amounting to \$115.20.

Judge Gustave Halvorson of the  
municipal court today rendered his  
decision in the case of the state  
against Julius Nyhart, finding him  
guilty and sentencing him to pay a  
fine of \$10 and costs or 10 days in  
the county jail. Nyhart was charged  
with shooting a pig belonging to  
Charles R. Wunderlich, of Neutral.  
The pig trespassing on Nyhart's place.  
When City Clerk Anton Mahlum  
asked Wunderlich why he did not get  
his warrant out in the country at  
his home, he said it was hardly pos-  
sible, as the defendant Nyhart, was  
the justice of the peace out there.

The clearance sale of suits and  
overcoats at the H. W. Linnemann  
store offers a splendid opportunity to  
buy clothes cheaply. Seasonable  
goods at unheard of low prices.—  
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Secretary Hansing, of the Cham-  
ber of Commerce, has so far recovered  
from his recent illness from pneu-  
monia as to be removed from the hos-  
pital to his home Sunday. Mr. Han-  
sing's many friends will be pleased to  
learn that he is on the high road to  
recovery and that it is now only a  
question of days before he will be al-  
lowed to come down town, even if  
only for a short time. In conversa-  
tion over the phone this morning with  
the Dispatch the gentleman was in a  
very pleasant mood and suggested  
that possibly some of his many  
friends might not recognize him as  
he had separated himself from 35  
pounds of real good flesh since his  
illness, but that if he was allowed to  
"feed" as often and as long as his in-  
clination called it would not take him  
long to regain his usual weight.

**PERSONAL PROPERTY  
TAXES DUE IN 1916**  
**BRAINERD  
(Continued)**  
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Nash, C.	98	Peterson, Robt.	4.23
Nelson, Albin	1.63	Peterson, Richard	42
Nelson, Wm.	4.05	Peterson, J. E.	1.07
Nelson, Jno.	8.14	Peterson, Pete	2.32
Nelson, Christ A.	5.95	Peterson, Jens	1.26
Nelson, Louis	1.54	Peterson, R. F.	1.35
Nelson, Ole	2.32	Peterson, Sven	8.32
Nelson, Dr. D. E.	4.19	Peterson, Mrs. Anna	89
Nelson, Jno. L.	3.63	Peterson, Bert	3.12
Nelson, Wm. H.	3.40	Peterson, Peter	6.00
Nelson, Andrew	3.94	Peterson, D. A.	79.96
Nelson, R. P.	3.36	Peterson, Jno. A.	2.46
Newgard, T. J.	4.05	Peterson, Anna	2.93
Newman, Ed. J.	98	Peterson, L.	1.49
Nettleton, P. B.	10.25	Peterson, P. A.	88
Nicholson, C. C.	5.86	Peterson, August	83
Nicholas, W. J.	4.75	Peterson, A. D.	3.16
Nitterauer, T. E.	1.12	Peterson, O. A.	12.84
Nicholson, Dr. Joseph	33.20	Peterson, Toger	20.33
Niska, Nels	9.72	Pfeiffer, Wm. F. J.	1.44
Nordin, Dr. C. G.	11.63	Phelps, E. M.	2.04
Northwestern Imp. Co.	3.77	Pahestrom, Jno.	1.67
Noian, J. J.	2.09	Pickler, F. P.	2.66
Noble, J. H.	18.98	Pillon, Mrs. Mary	3.35
Norquist, Peter	2.52	Powell, Elfrida	2.93
Noreen, Nana	2.32	Poppenberg, H.	1.44
Northrup, D. W.	4.05	Polk, A. D.	20.68
Northrup, Geo. W.	3.12	Putz, Geo. W.	2.23
Nylund, Chas.	3.49	Purdy, Archie	63.20
Nykanen, Alex	2.14	Paulson, Louis	3.12
Nyquist, Ericka	1.17	Paine, R. H.	1.13
Nelson, Ernest, estate	1.64		
Oakes, Geo.	4.93	<b>CROW WING COUNTY (Continued)</b>	
O'Brien, G. P.	10.16	<b>CROW WING</b>	
O'Brien, J. W.	5.45	Anderson, Adolph	17.66
O'Brien, Con	14.88	Anderson, Peter	8.14
O'Brien, P. D.	5.44	Anderson, P. B.	14.79
O'Brien Merc. Co.	633.99	Anderson, Matt	3.58
Oberst, P. J.	57.97	Bailey, C. E.	3.77
O'Connor, Chas.	4.84	Bailey, L.	5.38
Ohen, E. A.	1.30	Baldwin, H. T.	3.08
Olympia Candy Co.	56.22	Berklund, Swan	4.64
Olson, Mrs. Hannah	1.54	Bislar, Howard J.	2.45
Olson, Jno.	2.00	Brusseau, J. P.	5.42
Olson, Erick	1.30	Caron, J. T.	1.16
Olson, Chas.	1.07	Caron, Thomas	1.91
Olson, Ole G.	1.96	Caron, Will	3.57
Olson, John	97	Davis, W. R.	3.27
Olson, Bert	1.86	Dechalne, Fred	5.24
Olson, Silvert	8.65	Dechalne, Ed.	10.86
Olson, Clarence A.	3.25	Dixon, Emma L.	5.86
Olson, Andrew	1.03	Dougherty, Arthur	6.87
Olson, Allen	1.30	Everest, W. H.	3.04
Olsen, Peder	83	Fredstrom, F. G.	16.97
Olson, Christ	1.54	First State Bank, Barrows	123.30
Olson, Jno.	80	Gruenhagen, P. H.	28.98
Olson, Matt	2.47	Grimstad, E. L.	.80
O'Mahoney, Rev. J. J.	8.28	Girard, Sam	2.59
Onstine, W. H.	9.11	Guin, E. L.	15.14
Opsahl, A. M.	23.41	Girard, Joe	4.67
Orne, W. S.	73.10	Hildebrand, Wm.	7.61
Orth, Ed. L.	3.95	Hodge, R.	13.84
Osborne, A. W.	2.14	Hart, Theodore	7.27
		Jackson, Andrew	5.06
<b>P.</b>		Johnson, J. J.	1.00
Patek, C. M. & Son	170.95	Johnson, John P.	.78
Patek, C. H.	1.44	Johnson, Fred J.	3.99
Patek, C. M.	5.20	Johnson, Nels	4.14
Palmer, Mary E.	42	Klinkenberg, R. C.	1.06
Paine, N. M.	4.37	Kozel, Frank	9.96
Paine, H. L.	9.02	Ludlow, R.	11.11
Paine, Mrs. Harriet E.	4.61	Maddock, Francis	.94
Paine, C. H.	7.39	Maddock, Geo. C.	2.91
Paine, H. S.	4.23	Maddock, Sam	1.31
Paul, W. E.	5.51	Mason Lbr. Co.	4.28
Parker, Clyde	52.66	Milam, Ed	5.56
Parker, C. N., estate	9.95	Maxim, Earl	1.78
Parker, Fred S.	46.59	Murphy, John	2.14
Parker, Sam H.	5.53	Maurice, D. R.	2.28
Parker Dunn Corporation	18.60	Ott, Charles	17.84
Parker-Topping Co.	271.91	Ott, Fred	7.67
Parker-Kellog Lbr. Co.	71.57	Parham, M. A.	.82
Paine, Jacob	98	Parry, H. R.	5.44
Paine, Ralph, Co.	1.76	Perlinger, John	1.55
Peters, Frank	2.10	Perlinger, John	6.58
Peabody, C. E.	57.16	Pentin, Chas.	5.72
Peoples Ice Co.	40.06	Peplin, Paul	1.86
Pearce, J. K.	20.60	Pitz, Mike	15.43
Peck, C. B.	7.77	Porter, J. W.	4.69
Peacock, D. C.	22.78	Quackenbush, John	9.16
Peacock, C. D.	6.49	Rosko, J. C.	3.30
		Schampo, Sal.	4.24
		Shaffer, J. M.	4.79
		Smith, A. J.	7.01
		Swanson, Chas.	3.66
		Wetherbee, Geo. W.	2.98
		Wetherbee, R. J.	7.35
		Whitmarsh, H.	5.84
		Wahl, John	4.56

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<b>BRAINERD (Continued)</b>	
Nash, C.	98
Nelson, Albin	1.63
Nelson, Wm.	4.05
Nelson, Jno.	8.14
Nelson, Christ A.	5.95
Nelson, Louis	1.54
Nelson, Ole	2.32
Nelson, Dr. D. E.	4.19
Nelson, Jno. L.	3.63
Nelson, Wm. H.	3.40
Nelson, Andrew	3.94
Nelson, R. P.	3.36
Newgard, T. J.	4.05
Newman, Ed. J.	98
Nettleton, P. B.	10.25
Nicholson, C. C.	5.86
Nicholas, W. J.	4.75
Nitterauer, T. E.	1.12
Nicholson, Dr. Joseph	33.20
Niska, Nels	9.72
Nordin, Dr. C. G.	11.63
Northwestern Imp. Co.	3.77
Noian, J. J.	2.09
Noble, J. H.	18.98
Norquist, Peter	2.52
Noreen, Nana	2.32
Northrup, D. W.	4.05
Northrup, Geo. W.	3.12
Nylund, Chas.	3.49
Nykanen, Alex	2.14
Nyquist, Ericka	1.17
Nelson, Ernest, estate	1.64
Oakes, Geo.	4.93
O'Brien, G. P.	10.16
O'Brien, J. W.	5.45
O'Brien, Con	14.88
O'Brien, P. D.	5.44
O'Brien Merc. Co.	633.99
Oberst, P. J.	57.97
O'Connor, Chas.	4.84
Ohen, E. A.	1.30
Olympia Candy Co.	56.22
Olson, Mrs. Hannah	1.54
Olson, Jno.	2.00
Olson, Erick	1.30
Olson, Chas.	1.07
Olson, Ole G.	1.96
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Olson, Bert	1.86
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Olsen, Peder	83
Olson, Christ	1.54
Olson, Jno.	80
Olson, Matt	2.47
O'Mahoney, Rev. J. J.	8.28
Onstine, W. H.	9.11
Opsahl, A. M.	23.41
Orne, W. S.	73.10
Orth, Ed. L.	3.95
Osborne, A. W.	2.14

Peterson, Robt.	4.23
Peterson, Richard	42
Peterson, J. E.	1.07
Peterson, Pete	2.32
Peterson, Jens	1.26
Peterson, R. F.	1.35
Peterson, Sven	8.32
Peterson, Mrs. Anna	89
Peterson, Bert	3.12
Peterson, Peter	6.00
Peterson, D. A.	79.96
Peterson, Jno. A.	2.46
Peterson, Anna	2.93
Peterson, L.	1.49
Peterson, P. A.	88
Peterson, August	83
Peterson, A. D.	3.16
Peterson, O. A.	12.84
Peterson, Toger	20.33
Pfeiffer, Wm. F. J.	1.44
Phelps, E. M.	2.04
Pahestrom, Jno.	1.67
Pickler, F. P.	2.66
Pillon, Mrs. Mary	3.35
Powell, Elfrida	2.93
Poppenberg, H.	1.44
Polk, A. D.	20.68
Putz, Geo. W.	2.23
Purdy, Archie	63.20
Paulson, Louis	3.12
Paine, R. H.	1.13

<b>CROW WING COUNTY (Continued)</b>	
<b>CROW WING</b>	
Anderson, Adolph	17.66
Anderson, Peter	8.14
Anderson, P. B.	14.79
Anderson, Matt	3.58
Bailey, C. E.	3.77
Bailey, L.	5.38
Baldwin, H. T.	3.08
Berklund, Swan	4.64
Bislar, Howard J.	2.45
Brusseau, J. P.	5.42
Caron, J. T.	1.16
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Hodge, R.	13.84
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Jackson, Andrew	5.06
Johnson, J. J.	1.00
Johnson, John P.	.78
Johnson, Fred J.	3.99
Johnson, Nels	4.14
Klinkenberg, R. C.	1.06
Kozel, Frank	9.96
Ludlow, R.	11.11
Maddock, Francis	.94
Maddock, Geo. C.	2.91
Maddock, Sam	1.31
Mason Lbr. Co.	4.28
Milam, Ed	5.56
Maxim, Earl	1.78
Murphy, John	2.14
Maurice, D. R.	2.28
Ott, Charles	17.84
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Parham, M. A.	.82
Parry, H. R.	5.44
Perlinger, John	1.55
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Wetherbee, R. J.	7.35
Whitmarsh, H.	5.84
Wahl, John	4.56

**THE TREE ON THE ROOF.**  
An Old Building Custom to Propitiate  
the Pagan Gods.  
Did you ever stop to think why a bit  
of ornament in the form of conven-  
tionalized fruit, grain or flowers is al-  
most invariably added to the gable of  
a Gothic building and very frequently  
to the gable of any other type of build-  
ing? Do you know why the lightning  
rods of our grandfathers were branch-  
ed at the ends like little trees and why  
the old fashioned Scandinavian, Dan-  
ish and German contractors contrive  
to fasten a branch of a tree or an ear  
of corn to the topmost peak of a house  
that has progressed so far in the course  
of construction that the rafters are in  
place? Usually the contractor laughs  
sheepishly when he is asked about the  
matter, giving no other reason than  
that his father always provided the  
birds with some grain or offered them  
a green branch to rest in.  
The fact is that the birds have noth-  
ing whatever to do with the custom.  
It is purely religious in its significance  
and entirely pagan. It had its begin-  
ning before Christianity was "inflicted  
on the barbarians of the north." The  
gable of a building was exposed to  
both wind and lightning, so the gods  
must be propitiated. For Wotan there  
was a small evergreen tree and for  
Thor there was a bunch of flowers. If  
the favor of the god had been invoked  
while the house was still incomplete,  
the ceremony must be finished the day  
the house was done by the burning of  
the little tree or the withered flowers.  
Then a bunch of grain was tied to the  
gable to feed the white horse of the  
death god, so that he would hasten on  
his journey without stopping at that  
particular house.—St. Louis Globe-Dem-  
ocrat.

**Buried Alive.**  
On one of his later birthday anniver-  
saries Senator Hoar wrote to William  
M. Everts and congratulated him upon  
his length of years. In his reply the  
aged lawyer said it brought to mind  
an old lady in New England who had  
occasion to write to a friend about  
some matter of trifling importance and  
when she had reached the end of the  
thirteenth page awakened to the fact  
that she had been rather diffuse and  
added, "Please excuse my longevity."  
—Boston Globe.

**Buried Alive.**  
In the early history of Japan it was  
deemed a dishonorable to be closely  
related to any person of note, for one  
of the laws at that time decreed that  
when a person of rank or importance  
died all immediate relatives must be  
buried alive in a perpendicular posi-  
tion around the personage's grave.  
Their heads were left above the earth  
and thus they remained until welcome  
death came to free them.

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4th St.  
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Kingwood St. Board if desired.  
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house. Inquire 824 7th Ave. N. E.



## WOMAN'S REALM

### VISITING NURSE IS KEPT BUSY

Made Over 80 Visits in January. Says Associated Charities Report at Monday Meeting

### BABY SHOW PLANNED IN MARCH

Financial Condition of the Associated Charities Very Good—Receipts of Charity Ball

The regular meeting of the executive committee of the Associated Charities was held Monday evening. The reports received showed that there are many calls for help at present due to the continued cold weather, and that the association is meeting these calls promptly and effectively. During the month of January the visiting nurse made over eighty visits, including visits to all the schools. Many of these were in cases where there was sickness and much need for instruction as to the proper care to be taken.

The visiting nurse has also made a preliminary survey of the school situation, and is taking up with the parents the need of having defects such as weak eyes and defective hearing tended at once before serious and permanent injury to the child results.

Through the efforts of the Associated Charities a boy was clothed and otherwise equipped to be sent to the state institution at Faribault, and was taken there last week by the visiting nurse. It is probable that there will be several more of these cases to be taken care of soon. This is a splendid work, and of great benefit to the children affected as well as to the community.

Plans are being laid to hold a baby show in connection with the National Baby Week which comes early in March. Judging from first reports the Brainerd babies are anxious to try conclusions with any babies in the world in any kind of a contest which may be arranged. The co-operation of all the women's organizations especially is asked so that Baby Week may be of great profit to all the community.

In addition to the usual relief work, the women of the association are working constantly getting clothing and shoes for the various needy cases in our city, and there is very seldom a case of this sort presented which cannot be supplied in a very short time.

The financial condition of the organization is very good just at present. The charity ball given by the Chamber of Commerce swelled the treasury to the amount of \$206, the gross proceeds being given to the association through the kindness of the Knights of Columbus in donating the hall, and of the Chamber of Commerce in assuming the other bills. It is due to the splendid work of the committee from the Musical club in selling tickets that the amount realized is so large.

Any one wishing the services of the visiting nurse can reach her by telephone over the Northwestern system at her office in the city hall from 9 to 9:30 in the morning and from 4:30 to 5 in the afternoon. The

number is 583. This phone is generously donated by the company. There is also a Northwestern telephone at the home of the nurse, the number being 78-L.

### Donant-Cummins

At St. Francis Catholic church this morning was solemnized the wedding of Miss Clara L. Donant and John J. Cummins. Promptly at 9:00 o'clock the bride entered the church, meeting the groom and proceeded to the altar and there were united in the bonds of holy matrimony.

The bride was gown in a traveling suit of brown velvet with picture hat to match and wore a corsage bouquet of lilacs of the valley and orchids. She was attended by her sister, Miss Eva Donant, who was gown in a suit of blue corduroy and wore a corsage bouquet of violets and orchids.

The groom was attended by his brother, J. A. Cummins, both being dressed in the usual dark colors.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Donant and has spent the greater part of her life in Brainerd and has for the past eight years been assistant cashier of the Citizens State bank of Brainerd.

The groom has made his home in Brainerd for the past 20 years and is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Cummins and has for many years been a trusted employee of the Northern Pacific railway company and at present is the chief clerk of the supply department.

The happy couple left today noon for points south to enjoy a short honeymoon and after a sojourn of a few weeks will return to Brainerd to make their home here.

### GARDENS FOR THE CHILDREN

Pleasant Occupation These Wintery Days is Planning of Summer Gardens

To many it may seem unnecessarily early to speak at this time of gardening, when frost is deep in the ground and when the snow is not only high but more to come before melting sets in. However, now is the time to examine seed catalogues and to plan your garden on paper, to look over your own seed supply and the bulbs which stored away last fall, and then decide what new things will be needed.

But what we have in mind most is to see a greater interest created in gardens for the children. Last year there was a creditable vegetable exhibit in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce by the children attending the schools, and a committee of amateur adult gardeners viewed the children's flower and vegetable gardens, the winner being given prizes in recognition of their efforts. We believe that garden contests are splendid and that they should be annual affairs. They can easily be made more instructive than they were last year, so it is hoped that an effort will again be made by the Chamber of Commerce and steps soon taken to develop a plan which will bring about a spirited and a widely enjoyed contest. To this effect the interest of the parents must be aroused, for it is they who must daily encourage their children once the garden is started.

### Mondschine-Lewy Wedding

The marriage of Miss Rosalie Mondschine and Ernest Berwin Lewy of Memphis, Tenn., says the Duluth Herald, will take place at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 16, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. F. Mondschine, 228 North Fourteenth avenue east. Dr. Maurice Lefkowitz will perform the ceremony. There will be no attendants.

Miss Mondschine is the sister of Mrs. B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood.

### Baptist Ladies' Aid

The ladies' aid of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. C. Miller, 501 North Fourth street on Wednesday afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

### For Children's Cough

You cannot use anything better for your child's cough and cold than Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar mixed with healing and soothing balsams. It does not contain anything harmful and is slightly laxative, just enough to expel the poisons from the system. Dr. King's New Discovery is antiseptic—kills the cold germs—raises the phlegm—loosens the cough and it soothes the irritation. Don't put off treatment. Coughs and colds often lead to serious lung troubles. It is also good for adults and the aged. Get a bottle today. All druggists.—Adv.

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50c	Values This Week	38c
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### WORLD'S FASHION NEWS

All About Laces—Coats for Women—Silk Bags are Favorites This Spring

A fad of the moment in Paris is the use of dyed laces. "Pink or blue" one naturally says. "Neither." Grey or brown, to match the color of the material with which they are used, is in vogue. There is something very charming about the use of these self-toned laces which appeals particularly to the fastidious woman.

Some one has very cleverly remarked that the slogan for spring is "Coats for Women." It will be distinctly a separate coat season and extremely effective are some of the new models which have been introduced. Sports coats are particularly smart, especially those in rather pronounced checks or plaids trimmed with either suede or glace leather.

Perhaps because of the scarcity of leather and perhaps just "because", silk bags are the favorites this spring, and many are the clever conceits which have been developed in this necessary and decorative adjunct to the custom. Almost all the couturiers have created distinct styles of their own. Lanvin, Premet, Paquin and the modistes Lucie Hamar and Odette as well as any number of the small shops of Paris are making them. Many of these exquisite trifles are made of faille and decorated with beads. Lucie Hamar makes a delightful bag in beads of two shades of blue. Dark blue beads are used along the outside, while the middle of the bag is of Wedgewood blue beads with a Wedgewood cameo set in a circle of dark beads in the very middle of the bag.

Fans of ruffled taffeta to match the frock are a fetching new conceit. A very lovely one with six ruffles of porcelain blue taffeta was mounted on sea green lacquered sticks and carried with a porcelain blue frock. Fans which do not fold but remain permanently spread are extremely smart. A very lovely one of this type is covered with a delicate cream colored lace, a frill of which

falls from the outer edge. It is dotted all over with tiny roses of pink and blue silk, and supported by thin gold sticks.

The Russian ballet which was the climax of the early theatrical season in Paris and which has now made its appearance in New York has brought out a new headdress. It is made by Rehoux and consists of a turban of tulle and velvet or tulle and jet, close fitting—at once compact in form and delicate in texture and extremely chic. Another smart headdress consists of a jet bandeau higher on one side than on the other like the brim of a turban, and having a crown of close fitting black tulle with a pearl hat pin thrust in at one side.—From H. W. Gossard Co., courtesy H. F. Michael Co.

### Philathea Class

The "Philathea Class" of the Swedish Baptist church, being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. Lind, met Friday evening, Feb. 4th. This was the annual business meeting and the following officers were elected:

President—Olive Hotchkiss.  
Vice President—Selma Schelin.  
Secretary—Ida Peterson.  
Assistant Secretary—Mildred Peterson.  
Treasurer—Oika Hagberg.  
Reporter—Ruth Johnson.  
Teacher—Rev. A. B. Colvin.  
Membership Committee—Lilly Johnson, Edna Torkelson, Ruth Peterson.  
Sick Committee—Hildegard Lindholm, Sigrid Lind, Esther Johnson.  
Social Committee—Mabel Schelin, Hildegard Torkelson, Esther Sundberg.

### A Tip on Tips.

Dean Swift had something to say on tips in his ironical "Direction to Servants." To butlers he wrote, "If a gentleman has lain a night in the house get the cook, the housemaid, the stableman, the scullion and the gardener to accompany you, and stand in his way in the hall in a line."—London Standard.

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## Hoops and Hoops Chicago Style Show

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 7.—From Chicago tonight messages of hoops and hoops and more hoops, and short jackets, and tight bodices, will be flashed to New York, London, even to Paris itself.

Beginning tonight, Chicago garment manufacturers, hatters, milliners and jewelers will stage for a week, "Nothing to Wear but Clothes" the clothes extravaganza around which Chicago's 1916 spring style show revolves. Pretty girls from the Chicago Grand Opera company will wear the feminine togs.

A peep behind the scenes today showed that some of the skirts tended toward hoops and ran down over the ankles after being worn almost up to the knees all winter.

The crinoline skirt too, was on the job. They were worn in fabrics such as failles, taffetas, grosgrains, and even gabardines and serges for the promenade; and in nylon, marquisette, tulle and chiffon combined with flimsy laces and the suggest of bodices in materials of different textures and colors.

In spring dresses the light delicate shades prevailed. Over-dress effects, full length sleeves and both high and low collars were worn. Cream dress fabrics were among the favorites and novelty weaves were scarce. Black and white fabrics in checks, stripes and plaids were in high favor, too. Spangled and beaded trimmings of high quality were pronounced. Many of the finer dresses bore iridescent trimmings and nets.

There's no relief for poor Hubby, for spring waltzes were featured by buttons in the back, though a few button-in-front styles were shown.

Madam's early spring millinery seemed largely a combination of straw with satin, Georgette crepe, or hatter's plush. Shapes were small and medium. Flowers, fancy feathers, ribbon and malines were the trimming effects.

Evening cloaks like Grandma's, were full to take in and hang gracefully over the heaped skirt. These in beautiful shot taffetas or soft broadcades trimmed with fur, proved popular.

In men's clothes exhibited, light stripes in dark suits were more than ever in vogue. The cut of the coat and trousers has undergone but little change over fall suits.

Men's hats for early spring will be soft felt made up in light greys, silvers, olive greens, and mosses. Shoes will be both tan and black, with tan predominating.

Chicago merchants predict an unusually heavy sale of Palm Beach clothes and other outing togs this spring, and have put in stocks with the expectations of selling more of this kind of clothes than ever before.

### SUPT. WOMAN'S DEPARTMENT

Other Appointments Announced and Arrangements are Being Made for the 1916 State Fair

Maurice I. Flagg, director of the State Art Commission, was appointed superintendent of the women's department of the 1916 Minnesota state fair at the regular meeting of the fair board Friday. Mr. Flagg succeeds Dr. Clara M. Luther of Minneapolis, who has been in charge of the department for many years.

It is probable that the culinary department and the decorated china and needlework departments, which have been conducted separately in the past, will be merged into one department under Mr. Flagg's management. Changes in the premium list are contemplated which may make the decorated china exhibit a part of the art show, which is also in charge of Mr. Flagg. Final action on this matter will not be taken for several months.

Magnus Brown, of Farmington, was elected superintendent of the wool department. Major W. H. Hart of St. Paul, was chosen as head of the public safety department. James R. Hickey, of St. Paul, who has been in charge of the auto race program for two years, was re-elected for 1916. The board decided to put on a dog show at the coming fair, and chose J. A. Craig of Tracy, as superintendent. A ten-year ground permit was issued to the Twin City Granite Works of St. Paul, for the erection of a \$5,000 permanent exhibit building on Machinery Hill, opposite the Good Roads Building. Work upon this building will be commenced at once, to have it ready for occupancy by fair time, Sept. 4 to 9.

### Liven Up Your Torpid Liver

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Seward, Alaska, Feb. 8.—Lieutenant Means of the Alaska engineering commission announced the commission soon will have 1,000 men at work on the government's railway extending from Anchorage to the Matanuska coal fields. Contracts are being let for clearing the right of way and supplies are being assembled at construction camps.

### Japanese Dogs.

Japanese dogs are almost destitute of noses, having the nostrils set directly in the head.

### INHERITANCE TAX LAW GOOD

State Held to Have Right to Discriminate Between Heirs.

Fargo, N. D., Feb. 8.—North Dakota's inheritance law, attacked in the Cass county probate court on the plea that it acted against the interest of alien beneficiaries, and therefore was unconstitutional, is upheld under the decision of Judge Hanson. The court holds the state has the right to discriminate between alien beneficiaries living outside the state and beneficiaries residing in the state.

### City Slipping Into River.

Panama, Feb. 8.—Dispatches from La Paz, the capital of Bolivia, say that a section of the city is sliding into the Shoqueyapu river. The section, 1,600 yards long, includes mostly the homes of the poor, the market, barracks and the archaeological museum.

### GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

#### Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 7.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.28; No. 1 Northern, \$1.27; No. 2 Northern, \$1.24. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.38½.

#### St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Feb. 7.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.27½@1.32½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.23½@1.27½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.23½@1.27½; corn, 76½@77½; oats, 44½@44½; barley, 65@75; rye, 96@97; flax, \$2.31½.

#### Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Wheat—May, \$1.27½; July, \$1.26½. Corn—May, 75½c; July, 76½c. Oats—May, 47½c; July, 48c. Pork—Jan., \$20.32½; May, \$20.37½. Butter—Creameries, 29@30½c. Eggs—24@25½c. Poultry—Springs, 17c; fowls, 16@16½c.

#### Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 7.—Wheat—May, \$1.26½; July, \$1.25½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.33½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.27½@1.30½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.23½@1.27½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.18½@1.24½; No. 3 yellow corn, 76½@77½; No. 3 white oats, 44½@44½c; flax, \$2.31½.

#### South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Feb. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400; steers, \$3.75@8.75; cows and heifers, \$4.25@6.75; calves, \$4.75@10.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.00. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; range, \$7.60@7.95. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; lambs, \$5.50@10.00; wethers, \$5.50@7.50; ewes, \$3.00@7.10.

#### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; steers, \$6.35@9.60; cows and heifers, \$3.15@8.20; calves, \$8.00@11.00. Hogs—Receipts, 62,000; light, \$7.65@8.10; mixed, \$7.80@8.20; heavy, \$7.75@8.25; rough, \$7.75@8.25; pigs, \$6.25@7.50. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; native, \$7.60@8.45; lambs, \$8.50@11.15.

#### St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Feb. 7.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$16.50; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00@15.75; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$13.00@13.75; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$13.00@13.50; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$13.00@13.75; choice upland, \$14.25; No. 1 upland, \$10.50@11.50; No. 1 midland, \$10.00@10.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$16.00@16.75.



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## EXPERIENCE BEST TEACHER

The Swanville News in summing up the situation in the Sixth congressional district says:

It has been tritely said "experience is the best teacher." The average business man or farmer if confronted with the necessity of solving a knotty legal problem or filling a contract for a large amount of cordwood would employ a lawyer of ripe experience or a sawyer, not a novice fresh from the academic halls of a college or a sweet voiced singer. What is true of the individual business is no less true of the public's business and sadly has experience taught the American voter the folly of entrusting his business to inexperienced representatives. The value of experience as a teacher is vividly brought home to the Republicans of the Sixth congressional district this year. In 1902 and again in 1904 the wisdom of the choice of the voters of the Sixth district was clearly shown in the accounting made by C. B. Buckman during his two terms in congress. The results he obtained were remarkable. He did not attempt to electrify nations with flights of oratory. He did, however go to work to promote and care for the interests of the people who sent him to congress. His four years of experience especially fit him to return to the national body. He is fully equipped to cope with the big questions of the day, never for a moment losing sight of the needs of his constituents. He is a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket this year and his nomination and election will insure the district a representative who knows how and who will get results.

The Independent-Age says that "the democracy of Aitkin county is a close corporation and that a hand-picked convention of five assembled and proceeded to name delegates to the St. Paul conference." Possibly that method avoided a split.

Isn't it just possible that the weather man is carrying his joke too far. Now that Louie Hill has pulled off successfully the St. Paul winter sports and the ice men have their houses full of the winter product a breathing spell of a few days with the thermometer down around, "say zero, would be appreciated."

The law reads that the so-called Indian lid, with which most people in Northern Minnesota are familiar "shall continue and be in force within the entire boundaries of the country herein ceded to the United States, until otherwise provided by congress." This explodes the theory advanced by several of the range papers and the saloon keepers of Hibbing that the treaty expired by limitation on Feb. 14, being a 60 year limit. No such valentine is awaiting them.

Now that the matter of trackage is settled it is expected that work on the new gas plant will be pushed to completion as soon as spring opens. The St. Cloud gentlemen who appeared before the council last evening and who have been gathering data in the city for some days expressed themselves as well pleased over the prospects and assured the people of Brainerd that the plant would be in operation by July 1st. It now seems that the long expected advent of a gas plant in Brainerd is to become a reality.

Bob Dunn, in his Princeton Union, predicts the nomination of C. B. Buckman, for congress on the republican ticket at the coming primaries. The Union says:

There are several candidates for the republican congressional nomination in the Sixth district, but the old battle-scarred political veteran, C. B. Buckman, seems to be in the lead. Harold Knutson has quite a following in the three southeastern counties of the district, but Mr. Buckman has fighting friends in every township of the shoe string aggregation of counties from the Rainy Lake river to the confines of Minneapolis. Princeton Union.

We are in receipt of wedding cards announcing the marriage of James Crosset Morrison to Miss Edna Murphy, of Madison, S. D., on Feb. 24. President "Jim" is publisher of the Morris Tribune and the presiding officer of the Minnesota Editorial association, and his many newspaper friends throughout the state and northwest will extend congratulations over the happy event to Mr. and Mrs. Morrison. This is the jubilee year of the editorial association of which Mr. Morrison is president and it is a fitting climax to the occasion of which Editor Morrison will be one of the central figures.

Announcement is made in the Hubbard County Journal that M. J. Wooley, who has been prominently mentioned in connection with the republican nomination for congress from this district, has decided for business reasons not to enter the field as a candidate. Mr. Wooley is one of the bright young attorneys of the northern part of the state, is attorney for Hubbard county and has a wide acquaintance of staunch friends and admirers who stood ready to back his candidacy in the event that he decided to make the race, and he would have been a factor of no mean proportion in the senatorial situation of this district if he had decided to make the contest. Mr. Wooley's friends, however, after a thorough canvass of the situation and looking at it from all angles are of the opinion that his decision not to press his candidacy at this time is a wise one, as he is a young man and is losing none of his prestige by so doing. The Hubbard County Journal, published at Park Rapids, and whose editor is Mr. Wooley's warm, personal friend, is supporting Hon. C. B. Buckman since the withdrawal of Mr. Wooley from the field of candidates, has the following to say regarding Mr. Wooley's withdrawal:

County Attorney, M. J. Wooley prominently mentioned throughout the state as a candidate for congressional honors in the Sixth district has decided not to press his candidacy at this time. This decision was not reached by Mr. Wooley until after a thorough canvass of the situation and the consideration due the encouragement received from friends throughout the district who have urged him to enter the race. His decision not to be a candidate at this time is based on business reasons and while the Journal sincerely regrets his withdrawal and our inability to support him on this account, at this time, he is one of those young men who will keep and improve as each year passes by.

In our estimation, and we know this is shared by all who enjoy his acquaintance, Mr. Wooley is the peer of any candidate mentioned for this high honor, and we feel safe in making the prediction that the voters of this congressional district will be given the opportunity in the near future to pass on his merits as a live wire in the political arena.

## HELP SAVE THE GAME BIRDS

State Game and Fish Department Sends out an Appeal on Behalf of the Feathered Tribe

Carlos Avery, of the Game and Fish Commission has sent the following circular letter broadcast throughout the state, and it is hoped the appeal will have the desired effect:

An unusually heavy blanket of snow covers the woods and fields of Minnesota, varying in depth from over three feet in the northern part of the state to lesser depths in the southern portions.

This condition will probably continue for six to eight weeks longer and presents a dangerous condition as affecting game birds, particularly quail.

Corn fields, weed thickets and other sources of food supply are being buried under the drifts and starvation may be the fate of many birds, though such an impending disaster may be in a large measure averted by searching out the location of berries of quail and placing food for them in accessible and sheltered places and in improving natural shelters.

Even prairie chickens may suffer starvation from the same cause, though not in the same degree as the quail as the latter are less hardy and less able to care for themselves and cope with rigorous weather conditions. Chinese pheasants, a few of which are established in certain localities, require attention and care. Ruffed grouse, on account of protection afforded by the forests and their habits, are best able to cope with severe weather and are probably in no serious danger from this cause.

Game wardens have been instructed to give as much attention as possible to this situation during the next few weeks. They are instructed to search out the location of quail and prairie chickens and endeavor to interest people in the vicinity in feeding and caring for them if they require it. When not possible to secure the co-operation of farmers and others they are authorized to secure and place suitable food in accessible places for the birds and to incur such necessary expense as is incident to this work. Sheaves of grain are well suited to this purpose and the sweepings from barns containing a variety of seeds of weeds and grasses are excellent if properly distributed and placed. Wheat, oats, barley and buckwheat may be scattered in loose straw.

The lives of many of our winter insectivorous birds may also be saved by erecting feeding stations and bird lunch counters and keeping them supplied with seeds, meat scraps, suet, etc.

The interest and co-operation of individuals, bird clubs, sportsmen's clubs, farmers' clubs, editors, schools and other agencies is earnestly solicited, as it is better to try to save the birds we now have rather than face the necessity of attempting to restock depleted covers, particularly in view of the fact that wild game birds are now unobtainable anywhere for purposes of propagation owing to non-export state laws.

Probable continuation of the present weather conditions for some time render this matter urgent and worthy the attention and interest of all.

## Investment Clerk Confesses Forgery

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—R. C. Pickit, discharged clerk of the State Investment Board, confessed that he had forged state warrants and had placed them into circulation since 1913, aggregating \$22,000, and that all had been made good. He implicates State Treasurer Smith and alleges the forgeries were made with his knowledge.

## Settlement Lusitania Up to Bernstorff

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—The settlement of the Lusitania case is up to Ambassador Bernstorff it is learned. President Wilson and Secretary Lansing passed on the memorandum Ambassador Bernstorff submitted this week. The memorandum indicated Germany's intentions to make concessions.

## Typhoid Fever Epidemic Follows the Floods

(By United Press)

Memphis, Feb. 8.—A dispatch says Clarendon, Arkansas, asks for all available physicians as typhoid fever has followed the flood and the sewer system is useless. Women and children are marooned. Sanitary conditions are terrible and the last food was distributed Monday. Deaths total 28.

## Henry Mower Rice Statue is Unveiled

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—The statue of Henry Mower Rice, the first Minnesota governor, was unveiled and placed in the Historical Statuary hall at the capitol this morning. Vice President Marshall accepted the statue for the government. Senators Clapp and Nelson made the presentation.

## Col. House Created Favorable Impression

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 8.—Wilson's sending of Colonel House to Europe has created a favorable impression and England is considering sending her own representative to America. Such a step might smooth out the difficulties arising from the British blockade and the regulation of differences.

## One Omnibus Bill Include All Revenue

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 8.—The passage of one omnibus bill to include all revenue legislation, income and munitions taxes, tariff commissions duty on sugar and all other subjects was a daring political strategy under consideration by administration leaders and was being given serious consideration.

Dead as a Doornail.

The phrase "dead as a doornail" originated in this way: In early days, when door knockers were common, the plate upon which the knocker struck was sometimes called a nail. In the course of years it was struck so often that all life was supposed to be knocked out of it. Therefore when it became necessary to refer to anything hopelessly lifeless it was merely an euphemistic expression to say that it was "as dead as a doornail."—London Telegraph.

## GERMANS TELL OF FIGHTING

Report Repulse of French and British on Western Front.

Berlin, Feb. 7.—The breakdown of a French hand grenade attack south of the Somme and the repulse of a British attempt to advance south of Labasse canal are announced by German army headquarters. Continuation of heavy artillery fire by the French in the Champagne and the Argonne is also reported.

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 CORNCOB PIPE AND ROYAL AUTOMOBILE.  
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 Washington, Feb. 7.—A gorgeous purple electric runabout, upholstered with vivid lavender plush, has been acquired by Representative Percy Quinn of Mississippi, whose other fad is a corncob pipe.  
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## PNEUMONIA—ITS CAUSE

Bulletin Issued by the United States Public Health Service Which Can be Read With Profit

Ten per cent of the deaths in the United States result from pneumonia. It is estimated that during the past thirty days this rate has been doubled in some sections. Tuberculosis and heart disease, each causing one-ninth of all fatalities, are the only diseases which outrank pneumonia among the legion of the men of death, but in certain cities pneumonia is steadily increasing and even has surpassed the mortality from tuberculosis. Seventy per cent of all cases occur between December and May. It is distinctly a cold weather infection, seemingly brought by wintry blasts, but especially prevalent during the winter season only because its victims are rendered more susceptible at that time by exposure, debilitating influences and the presence of predisposing infections.

Pneumonia principally affects those at the extremes of life, but no age is exempt. It is invariably a germ disease. The predisposing and exciting organisms are so numerous that it would be futile to attempt their enumeration. Many of them are constantly present in the mouths and throats of healthy persons and it is only through the aid which we unwittingly extend to them that they are transformed from harmless organisms to one of man's most powerful enemies.

The presence of other diseases is the great predisposing cause of pneumonia. They prepare the soil for invasion. Holding first rank in this category is influenza, the increased incidence of pneumonia at this time being largely due to the present epidemic of lagrippe. Individuals suffering from this infection are peculiarly susceptible to respiratory complications and should properly observe every hygienic rule. Inflammation of the upper air passages, pharyngitis, bronchitis, and tonsillitis, often predispose to the development of the disease, particularly among the aged and infirm. The acute contagious diseases of childhood, more especially measles and whooping cough, frequently prepare the way for pneumonia. Anyone who through neglect or carelessness permits the spread of these infections is therefore open to the severest condemnation. Exhausting disease of whatever nature, is often sufficient to reduce our resistance that we are unable to cope with organisms which should be easily overcome, and hence predisposes to the infection.

Debility, either temporary or chronic, developing from any cause, increases susceptibility. Because of this the disease most often attacks those at the extremes of life. Among debilitating influences must be mentioned cold, exposure to penetrating winds, and the chilling of body surfaces as a result of wetting. The combination of lack of food and fatigue proves particularly disastrous during the winter season and is a condition to be avoided whenever possible. Bad housing, mental or physical harassment, and overwork are alike the advance agents of the infection. Overcrowding, in street cars, theatres, and other public places, is unquestionably

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## Advice to Young Writers.

Every few days a letter comes from some young man about to dip his ankles into the chill though bracing pool of literature. "Would you mind giving me some advice?" he asks, and, flattered as we are, we always say truthfully that we have none. We are going to tell the next young man to write not to please a mythical public or, worse, an editor who is trying to please a business office that thinks it is trying to please a public, but to write to please himself, to write what he himself would enjoy reading. He may be astonished to find how many persons there are with tastes like his.—New York Tribune.

## Elihu Yale's Grave.

Elihu Yale, from whom the college in New Haven took its name, sleeps in the graveyard at Wrexham church, near Chester, England. The following inscription (restored some years ago by the council of Yale) is to be found on one side of his tombstone: Born in America, in Europe bred, in Africa traveled, in Asia died. Where long he lived and thrived, in London dead. Much good, some ill he did, so hope all's even. And that his soul through mercy's gate to heaven.

## Personal Preparedness.

A brisk, bright, sunny morning, with the wind west; the fairest sort of fair weather and with every prospect of its continuing, and yet here in the subway, going downtown in the morning, were many men and women carrying raincoats, goloshes and umbrellas. And what did that mean? It was really very simple.

These were all downtown workers who keep in their various places of employment a complete rain equipment for use in case of emergency. It had rained the night before, and they had worn these things home. Now they were carrying them back downtown to be ready there the next time they needed them.—New York Sun.

## Napoleon's Only Wound.

Napoleon was wounded in the course of his military career, though once only. This was before Waterloo on April 25, 1809. He was struck by a grape-shot ball and received a flesh wound, which disconcerted him so little that he mounted his horse, wiping away the blood with a handkerchief. The ball was picked up by an officer, who treasured it so highly that it passed as an heirloom to his children and grandchildren. It now rests in the Musée at Paris. London Answers.



SPECIAL TRAIN, FORTY-FOUR CARS, PACIFIC COAST SALMON.

The above is a photograph of the special train of forty-four cars of salmon which was shipped over the Northern Pacific Railway by the P. E. Harris Company of Seattle a few days ago. The cargo consisted of fifty thousand cases, or one million, nine hundred twenty thousand cans, the largest shipment of salmon on record. It was consigned to Eastern markets and for export. The train was handled on fast schedule, even lowering the time agreed upon by the railway company. The demand for canned salmon is increasing each year, but fortunately our Pacific coast canneries are able to supply it.



## COUNCIL HAS LONG SESSION

Follows New Rule and Considers Bills in Committee Meeting at 7:30 o'clock

### REGULAR SESSION AT 8 O'CLOCK

Trackage Ordinance Permitting Gas Company to Cross Laurel Street Adopted Unanimously

The council on Monday evening put into practice its new rule and commenced its session at 7:30 o'clock at which time bills were considered by committees. The regular session opened at 8 o'clock and then continued to shortly after 11 o'clock. The most important business considered was the trackage ordinance which was adopted without a dissenting vote, all aldermen being present, and which gives the Light & Power Co. and Northern Pacific railway the right to cross Laurel street with a continuation of the spur track now passing the flour mill and extending to the site of the proposed gas plant.

The city attorney maintained that some compensation should be named for the use of the street as provided by statute and \$1 was designated. J. Bemis, general manager of the Light & Power Co., thanked the council for the consideration shown the company and stated that material would be on the ground as soon as the frost was out of the ground. The best gas plant known was to be built. They wanted to boost Brainerd and make it twice its size.

Accompanying Mr. Bemis was C. D. Grinnells of St. Cloud and H. G. Williams. Mr. Williams has had much experience in the manufacture of gas, having been with the United Gas Improvement Co. of Philadelphia and the American Gas Co. of the same city. He has put in the past ten years with gas companies. He will have charge of the gas plant in St. Cloud, Brainerd, Sauk Rapids and East St. Cloud.

W. H. Onstine, the city assessor, was present and the fixing of his salary for this year was brought up. This season he assesses realty and personal property. City Attorney Haggard ruled that the present was not the proper time to set the salary, that it was to be at a meeting in May as designated in the charter.

President Anton Mahlum, of the Boosters club, presented to the council as representing the city of Brainerd a flag to be attached to the flag staff on the city hall. On motion of Alderman Benson, seconded by Alderman Haake, a unanimous vote of thanks was extended the Boosters club for their thoughtfulness and generosity.

President Mahlum of the Boosters asked the council for the use of the council chambers on the second and fourth Fridays of the month and the request of the Boosters was acceded to.

Chief of Police Henry Squires' communication asked if there was an ordinance prohibiting the shoveling of snow from roofs into alleys and streets. He claimed some alleys had been blocked that no fire truck could get through them. It was referred to the city attorney.

City Clerk Mahlum read his report on the cost of taking care of the poor and stated the town system was proving more expensive than the old county system.

In the allowance of bills of the fire department, Alderman Turcotte brought up one call, a false alarm, and said the firemen knew the young men who had telephoned there was

a fire on North Seventh street and who had the nerve to ring the fire bell themselves. The cost \$4.50, the aldermen decided, would be a good thing to be borne by the jokers and the city attorney was given instructions to get the names and proceed to collect.

To the city attorney was referred an item in the bill of D. M. Clark & Co., relating to the burial of Ole Berg.

Alderman Benson brought up a proposition to have street intersections assessed against abutting owners, distributing it about \$25 per lot. He maintained that at present there was no money on hand to pay for street intersection paving and the adoption of an amendment such as he proposed would make possible the paving of Seventh, Eighth, Third and other streets, on which had been collected tax money for paving. The matter was taken into consideration by the whole council. It is an important step and some action must be taken and soon on the proposition of Alderman Benson. An amendment, said Alderman Benson, can be voted on at the June primary election.

City Clerk Mahlum brought up the status of the electric light bonds, of which the city had paid some \$11,000 and the water and light board \$30,000. With both departments owing on the bonds, he considered it was superfluous action on the part of the city and there might be a refund to offset the indebtedness claimed by the water and light department as owing from the city.

City Attorney Haggard reported that former City Clerk V. N. Roderick had paid \$63.15 to the city, reimbursing it for money paid out by him by mistake to the wrong party in a garnishment proceeding against the city in which Brockway & Parker had sued one Dougherty, a former employee of the city.

Baldwin Brothers, who furnished the electric fire alarm system, reported that the trouble was in the batteries.

The petition from West Brainerd residents asking for the installation of three arc lights in West Brainerd, at Florence and Fourth streets, Florence and Sixth streets, Cora and Fifth streets, was read and referred to the electric light committee to take up with the water and light board.

The council was waited upon by a committee from the Chamber of Commerce, Carl Zapffe, Dr. Verner Hemstead and Carl Adams, and concurred in the resolution presented, that of establishing the ditches as designated by act of congress between Gull and Round, and Round and Long lakes. The resolution had previously been favorably acted on by the Chamber of Commerce, Boosters club and county commissioners.

There was presented a petition from the county board asking for the vacation of Fourth street between Maple and Laurel streets, the east half of block 63 and the west half of block 65 forming the site for the proposed new county jail and sheriff's residence.

To rebuild the general sewer of the city from the Maple street to the river, said City Engineer D. C. Peacock, in answer to Alderman Benson's query, will cost approximately \$45,000. These figures were not definite. They were simply a rough estimate.

Alderman Haake reported applications for poor relief from two women of Northeast Brainerd who had been deserted by their husbands. City Attorney Haggard said he did not believe deserted women can command any benefits under the pension act. The cases were referred to the poor committee with power to act.

Alderman Morrison reported that

shutting off the arc lights at 1 o'clock in the morning effected a saving of \$113 a month.

Alderman Turcotte reported that the fire hall floor needed repairing. It was referred to the committee on city property and the city engineer.

City Clerk Anton Mahlum gave his report of receipts and disbursements for the month of January, 1916:

RECEIPTS.  
Pool table license.....\$ 15.00  
Court fees.....45.25  
Court fines.....95.00  
Interest on daily balances.....82.93  
Scale rent.....4.17  
Assignment fees.....10  
Donation for 13th street paving.....118.00  
Sale of sewer warrants.....316.20

Total.....\$676.65  
DISBURSEMENTS  
(City Expenses)  
Officers salaries.....\$368.58  
Janitor.....45.00  
Coal.....203.13  
Publishing.....6.80  
Court record.....17.41  
Receipt books for treasurer.....36.00  
Teamster and labor.....82.06  
Phone rental.....8.00  
Stationery clerk's office.....3.15  
Various supplies.....26.92  
Miscellaneous.....2.06

Total.....\$799.11  
Police protection—  
Salary of force.....\$280.00  
Table for police office.....20.00

Total.....\$300.00  
Fire protection—  
Fire chief's salary.....\$ 25.00  
Fire truck drivers.....130.00  
Volunteer firemen.....60.50  
Coal.....48.79  
Ice.....11.90  
Chains and repairs to fire truck.....25.17  
Various supplies.....13.46

Total.....\$314.82  
Support of poor.....\$105.32  
Library.....36.59  
Sewer warrants redeemed.....1280.63  
Sewer warrants coupons redeemed.....221.41  
Revolving fund acct. paving Kingwood street.....5.38  
Sewer construction.....2723.52  
Sinking fund commissioners 758.48  
Miscellaneous—  
Witness fees.....2.24  
General sewer.....26.83  
Water & Light board tax call 204.19  
Horse shoeing.....4.00  
Park board.....19.90  
Total.....\$6802.33

At the Best Theatre Tonight  
Hamilton Reville, the English actor, who has come to this country in account of the war and has been induced to appear in moving pictures is a character of exceptional merit in this production, "Enemy of Society," the screen version of the noted novel by George Bernard Shaw. Louis Meredith, the favorite of so many screen dramas, plays one of the leading roles.

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### Dr. Syntax.

On the English coast, at Land's End, there stands a curiously formed boulder with a profile resembling that of a human face. It is supposed that once the rocky head was held proudly erect and could look out over the blue sea, but during some period of disturbance the huge boulder was thrown forward, so that now the forehead of the man rests against a neighboring rock. All these rugged and massive pieces bordering the coast are fine granite. Locally the curious boulder is known as Dr. Syntax.

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## STUDY CHURCH CONDITIONS

Local Committees of Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church Confer With Rev. J. W. Preus

### SPECIAL MEETINGS BEING HELD

Pastors From Minneapolis, Fergus Falls, Pequot, Pine River are Participating

The special meetings at the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will be continued this evening at 7:30 p. m.

The subject for consideration will be "The Lord's Supper," the Rev. Chr. Anderson of Minneapolis leading the discussion. The other pastors participating are the Revs. J. W. Preus of Minneapolis and D. J. Grove of Fergus Falls, together with the local pastor, C. Hougstad.

The following laymen from the Pequot and Pine River country are in attendance: O. T. Olsen, Mads Anderson, E. Gradvahl, Matt Anderson, John Holten, P. O. M. Anderson. A cordial invitation is extended to all

Local committees met with the Rev. J. W. Preus this morning, who is a member of the Minnesota district house mission committee, for the purpose of acquainting him with church conditions in the territory covered by the pastor, C. Hougstad, with ultimate improvements in view.

### ORE ROYALTIES NOT TAXABLE

Supreme Court Decision in Royal Mineral Association so States—Decision of Local Interest

Iron ore royalties cannot be taxed as "money and credits" according to a decision of the supreme court Saturday involving the attempt of St. Louis county officials to tax the Royal Mineral association in the manner stated.

In district court a judgment was ordered for \$107.18 in favor of the taxing officials on a valuation of \$35,726.51.

The syllabus follows:

1. Instruments called mining leases involved in this action are leases in fact as well as in name, and the amounts stipulated to be paid by the lessees are rents.

2. Unaccrued rents are not personal property. They are incorporated hereditaments. They are incident to the reversion and follow the land. Though separable from the land, they are, until such separation, part of the land.

3. Our statutes provide for the separate assessment of real and personal property. By the terms of the statutes, real property includes the land and all privileges thereto belonging, credits include every claim and demand for money and every sum of money receivable at stated periods, due or to become due. Credits are, however, personal property and they include only such demands as are classed as personality. The term does not include unaccrued rents to issue out of land.

4. Rents due in July for the period from April 1 to July 1, are not taxable as credits May 1.

Judgment reversed.

The opinion was written by Justice Oscar Hallan.

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Sons of Butchers.  
Three of the stained glass windows in the hall of the Butcher guild, London, contain the portraits of Cardinal Wolsey, William Shakespeare and Daniel Defoe in recognition of their connection with the meat trade.

The cardinal was the son of a "respectable" butcher at Ipswich, in Suffolk, and "the immortal bard" assisted while a youngster a butcher in his native town of Stratford-on-Avon.

Defoe, nowadays known as the author of "Robinson Crusoe," but in his day an adventurer and secret agent of his government, was the son of a butcher in Fore street and a member of the guild.—London Mail.

Largest Meteorite.  
The largest meteorite stone actually known to have fallen to earth weighed 137 pounds.

## Sleep Disturbed?

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### ORDINANCE 280

An Ordinance Granting unto the Northern Pacific Railway Company, its Successors and Assigns, the Right to Construct and Maintain a Switch Track Along Bluff Avenue and Across Laurel Street in the City of Brainerd.

The City Council of the City of Brainerd do Ordain:

Section 1. Subject to the provisions of the laws of the State of Minnesota, and to the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Brainerd, and to any amendments thereof, and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, permission and authority is hereby granted unto the Northern Pacific Railway Company, a corporation, its successors and assigns, to construct a switch spur track on Bluff avenue in the said city of Brainerd, from a point on the easterly side of said Bluff Avenue about one hundred (100) feet south of the south line of Front street in said city, thence in a southerly direction to the east side of said Avenue at a point where the same intersects Laurel street, thence across Laurel street, and thence along Bluff Avenue, in a southerly direction to the southerly line of the property now owned by the Light & Power Company, a corporation, abutting on said Bluff Avenue between Laurel and Maple streets in said city; and to maintain and operate said track as a switch track.

Section 2. In consideration of the granting of the said permission and authority, the said railway company agrees to construct said track in accordance with the directions of the City Engineer of said city; to construct and maintain pavement between the rails and eighteen inches outside of the rails on each side of said track whenever required so to do by the City Council of the said City of Brainerd, and in a manner required by said City Council; and to comply with all ordinances, rules or requirements now in force, or which may hereafter be adopted or passed by the said City Council respecting the manner in which trains or cars may be operated on said track.

Section 3. If the said railway company, or its successors or assigns, shall at any time fail to observe the conditions of this ordinance, or of the ordinances, rules or requirements specified herein, this ordinance shall thereupon become void, and the privileges and permission herein granted shall be and become forfeited.

Section 4. Upon the termination of the rights granted by this ordinance, or upon the abandonment of said track, the said railway company shall promptly remove said track from the said street and avenue.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after one week after its passage and publication.

Passed this 7th day of February, 1916.

F. A. FARRAR,  
President of the Council.

Attest:  
A. MAHLUM,  
City Clerk.

Approved this 8th day of February, 1916.

F. A. FARRAR,  
Acting Mayor.  
Published February 8th, 1916.

### Homemade Gas.

Spanish peasants living in the cork oak region use homemade gas obtained from cork refuse. As described by one authority, the process consists in filling several large teakettles with the waste bark and placing each in turn over the fire during the evening, burning the volatile gas as it escapes from the spouts. The carbonized residue forms the fine black-brown pigment known to commerce as "Spanish brown."

### His Golf Prize.

When the Duke of York was living in Edinburgh in 1681 he was told that a certain shoemaker named Paterson was the best golf player in Scotland. And him, the duke, later James II., chose as partner in a foursome, winning a huge stake. He promptly turned over the money to Paterson, who forthwith built a house in which the duke placed a stone with a Paterson crest bearing the motto, "Far and Sure."

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## Automobile Prices Will Not be Lower

(By United Press)

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 7.—More than 1,000,000 American citizens will buy automobiles in 1916, according to the estimates of Detroit manufacturers who have made preparations to supply at least 550,000 of the total number. Detroit's automobile output last year was 425,000 cars, valued at approximately \$400,000,000.

Detroit auto makers are gambling on 1916, gambling with the millions of dollars in real money they have put into new buildings and machinery and the employment of thousands of additional men to handle the increased business.

More than 75,000 men now are employed in the automobile industry here. This number is steadily increasing. The average number of auto employees throughout 1915 was about 60,000.

Auto prices will not be lowered much during this year, local manufacturers declare. In fact, some of them predict a slight increase. The average price of all pleasure automobiles sold in the United States during 1915 was \$672. Eight years ago, the average price was \$2,123. Statistics compiled by manufacturers here show that the proportion of automobiles to the population of the United States is 1 to 48. For every mile of road in the country, there is one motor vehicle, according to these statistics.

### Early Circulating Libraries.

Circulating libraries existed long before the invention of printing. Paris stationers were compelled by a law promulgated in 1342 to keep a stock of books to be lent on hire for the special benefit of poor students. Merryweather, in his "Bibliomania in the Middle Ages," gives a list of books so lent with the prices for reading them, the charge for the loan of a Bible, for instance, being 10 sous. The earliest known reference to a London circulating library occurs in an advertisement at the end of a play, "The Thracian Wonder," published 1661, announcing that "books may be read for a reasonable consideration."—London Chronicle.

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**JAMES R. NUGENT.**

New Jersey Democratic Leader Is Ill From Nervous Breakdown.



**DEED OF REJECTED SUITOR**

**Kills Successful Rival and Woman Who Refused Him.**

New York, Feb. 8.—Margaret McNeel and one of her two suitors are dead because she rejected one who had been twice before married.

Oscar Johnson, the man she was to have married, following the rejection of Herbert Shadler, was instantly killed and Miss McNeel was fatally wounded by Shadler, who waylaid them in a hallway on their return from a theater.

**Four Stockmen Killed in Wreck.**

Chicago, Feb. 8.—Four stockmen riding in the rear of an extra freight on the Northwestern railroad were killed in a rear end collision two miles from Duquai. A defect in the air brake of the first train is believed to have caused the accident.

**Students Burn Street Car.**

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 8.—Notre Dame students, in a demonstration against the street car company, destroyed by fire one of the company's cars, after forcing the motorman and conductor to leave their posts and return to the city.

**Train Plunges Into River.**

Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 8.—Two trainmen were killed when the engine and tender of a Big Four passenger train plunged into the Wabash river.

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**HUGHES MAY NOT ACCEPT.**

Leaders See Little Hope of Inducing the Supreme Court Justice to Allow His Name to Be Considered and Will Not Support Any One Whom Roosevelt Would Name.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Feb. 8.—[Special.]—Quite a number of Republicans are convinced that Roosevelt is really a candidate for the Republican nomination. In fact, they know from their talk with leading Progressives that these men will be at Chicago with a considerable show of strength and with a demand that Roosevelt or some one named by Roosevelt shall be nominated by the Republicans; otherwise Progressive opposition is threatened.

As it simmers down now it means Roosevelt, for these same Progressive leaders feel that they have assurance that when it comes to close quarters Justice Hughes is going to make it plain that he will not allow his name to be used in connection with the nomination. With Hughes out the Roosevelt list is narrowed to Johnson of California and perhaps some other man who will not be possible for the Republicans. The upshot of it all will be, "Take Roosevelt or we will not support your nominee."

**Will Not Be Nominated.**

The best guess now is that Roosevelt will not be nominated by the Republicans. The anti-Roosevelt men control the national committee. They are going to see to the election of delegates who will not go to Roosevelt. They have two reasons. One is that they do not believe he can be elected, and the other is that they don't want him elected.

"Better four more years of Wilson than of Roosevelt," they say. "The party would be in worse shape if Roosevelt was elected than if the Democrats win. If he wants to go out and defeat a good man, elect Wilson, whom he has so severely condemned. We can't help that. We are not going to allow him to name our candidate nor force us to elect him again."

**"Adequate" a Compromise.**

We are not going to have the word "adequate," as applied to the navy, accurately defined by the legislation of this congress. "Adequate" will turn out to be a compromise. It will be a compromise between those who demand many ships and cruisers and the "little navy" men. It appears that the senate is going to be more liberal than the house and so far as that body can make it "adequate" will mean a large navy.

**"Fresh Democrats."**

Congressman Sims knows about the trouble which Democrats have with the constitution and finally how they yield to the demand to secure money from the federal treasury. Congressman Gordon of Ohio expressed doubt as to whether the United States had the power to appropriate money for roads. He thought it was unconstitutional, which moved the Tennessee man to remark:

"I have great sympathy for my friend. Like all fresh Democrats when they come into this house, he has trouble with the constitution of the United States. They all do at first."

Sims has often felt the prick of constitutional conscience, but he has been able to overcome most of the repugnance he felt to appropriating money, particularly when his section was getting his share.

**Enjoying Surprises.**

Congressman Scott of Michigan found a report signed by Martin Madden of Illinois in which he had favored a certain road proposition, but Madden had just made a speech on the opposite side. "His remarks were somewhat surprising to me," said Scott. "Of course, having been a member of this congress only fifty days, I realize that I have not enjoyed all of the surprises that await me."

**Floppers as Leaders.**

When Martin Dies of Texas made his speech on floppers and added an interesting word to the political literature of the day he read from a newspaper a paragraph saying that Mann had become the real leader of this most important movement for national defense. Dies showed what Mann's previous attitude had been and said:

"Thereby all previous floppers are relegated to the rear. And this is made the true slogan of leadership: He who makes the latest flop shall lead us all."

**Republicans Can't Complain.**

"We can't complain," said Congressman Steenerson of Minnesota, "when we see the Democrats reversing themselves upon the question of national defense. They are doing what we have advocated and are really playing into our hands."

**Ten Years' Restriction.**

Congressman Gardner of Massachusetts, who will do his utmost to put through the immigration law with its literacy restriction provision; would go much further than that if he could secure favorable action. "I would like to see ten years of absolute restriction," said Gardner, "and we could then see what would be the effect."

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**HOUSE APPROVES TWO NAVY BILLS**

Plans for National Defense Obliterate Party Lines.

**OPPOSITION DODGES RECORD**

One Measure Adds Three Hundred Midshipmen to the Entering Class at Annapolis and the Other Is to Equip Navy Yards for Construction of Two New Battleships.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Speaker Clark and Republican Leader Mann fought side by side in the house for adequate national defense. With party lines obliterated most of the members followed their leaders and two navy measures passed without a dissenting vote.

One, to provide for adding 300 midshipmen to the entering class at Annapolis next July, passed 175 to 0, and the other, to equip navy yards for construction of battleships Numbers 43 and 44, passed without a roll call.

Mr. Mann tried to put the anti-preparedness advocates on record by calling for a division on the naval academy bill, but there were no negative responses.

The appearance of Speaker Clark on the floor to champion preparedness measures aroused wide interest. Rumors persisted that he would take active charge of the fight to increase the army and navy. Majority Leader Kitchen having joined the opposition. Immediate improvement of the navy by designing new battleships along

the lines of the best now in use, doubling the membership of both Annapolis and West Point, creation of many additional regiments for the army and short term enlistments to produce a reserve, were among suggestions made by the speaker.

He said he expected to discuss the subject of preparedness generally soon.

Mr. Mann reiterated his previous plea for a larger army and navy and aided in maneuvering the bills to passage.

"This is not the time for criminality and recrimination," he said. "It is not the time to find fault with that which has been. It is the time for all to join hands for that which has come."

**CLAIM WARRANT FOR \$18,000 IS FORGED**

St. Paul, Feb. 8.—J. A. O. Prens, state auditor, and W. J. Stevenson, assistant attorney general, submitted information to R. D. O'Brien, Ramsey county attorney, about the irregular handling of a warrant drawn against the state permanent trust fund for \$18,000 in favor of the treasurer of school district No. 46 of Aitkin county.

The warrant was drawn by R. C. Pickett, clerk of the investment board in the auditor's office, executed by Claude S. Brown, deputy auditor, and cashed in the office of Walter J. Smith, state treasurer. Mr. O'Brien was told that the school treasurer's name was forged.

The information given Mr. O'Brien, it is understood, will be submitted to the Ramsey county grand jury Thursday. Mr. O'Brien declined to comment on the conference and his possible action.

Polo.

Polo is an oriental game of antiquity which, it is claimed, can be traced back to 600 B. C.

**TACOMA FRANCHISE IS VOID**

Twenty-five-Year Grant to Car Company Annulled.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—Annulment of a twenty-five-year franchise of the Tacoma Railway and Power company was upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals in a decision affirming the holding of the federal district court.

The city of Tacoma gave a permit for limited lighting service in 1908, which it revoked in 1912. Upon the company's refusal to discontinue selling electricity for lighting the franchise granted in 1905 was annulled.

**ALL DEPENDS ON LEVEES**

Flood Situation in Arkansas Is Becoming Brighter.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 8.—Although Arkansas City and Lake Village, in Southeastern Arkansas, both are submerged in the great lake formed by flood waters pouring through broken Arkansas river levees, and are threatened with destruction should the Mississippi river levees break, the situation is reported more hopeful.

At Arkansas City it is believed the levee will withstand a Mississippi river stage of 57.5 feet. The prediction is for 57 feet.

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